

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

First named inventor: Sundergopal, Sridhar

App. No. : 10/812,586

Filed : March 29, 2004

Title : RECOVERY OF SODIUM
THIOCYANATE FROM
INDUSTRIAL PROCESS
SOLUTION USING
NANOFILTRATION
TECHNIQUE

Examiner : Mr. Wayne Langel

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Dear Sirs:

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to pay the issue fee. Applicants timely paid the issue fee and the publication fee on April 4, 2007. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO"), however, later refunded the issue fee and retained the publication fee without the authorization of a registered attorney or agent. A notice of abandonment for failure to pay the issue fee was then issued by the USPTO.

APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION:

1. The issue and publication fees in the above-captioned application were timely paid on April 4, 2007, through my firm, Rutan & Tucker, LLP, deposit account. A copy of the "Fee Worksheet (PTO-06)" and "Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt," both dated April 4, 2007, are attached hereto as Exhibit A.
2. A notice of Correspondence Address change was filed on April 5, 2007 and the firm of Fish & Associates PC took over responsibilities for this patent application. A copy of the "Notice of Change of Address placed in File Wrapper due to EBC Customer Number update" indicating the same is attached hereto as Exhibit B.
3. On May 29, 2007 a clerk in the accounting department of my firm requested a refund of the issue and publication fees that were paid on April 4th without my authority or that of any other individual authorized to practice before the U. S. Patent & Trademark Office. A copy of the facsimile transmission requesting such refund is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

4. The U.S. Patent & Trademark Office refunded the issue fee on June 15, 2007 (see Exhibit D).
5. On July 26, 2007, Bob Fish of Fish & Associates PC informed Rutan & Tucker that he tried, but was unable to re-pay the issue fee (see Exhibit E).
6. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issued a Notice of Abandonment of the above-captioned application on August 8, 2007, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit F.
7. On August 29, 2007 a power of attorney was filed in favor of Rutan & Tucker, LLP. A copy of the "Power of Attorney with Revocation and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Establishment of Assignee" and "Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt" filed with and received from the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on August 29, 2007, respectively are attached hereto as Exhibit G.
8. We are now paying the issue fee with this petition to revive, as the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

APPLICANT HEREBY SUBMITS WITH THIS PETITION:

1. The petition fee of \$1,500 for large entities; and
2. The required reply, which includes:
 - a. The issue fee of \$1,400 for large entities;
 - b. An issue fee transmittal (form PTOL-85B);
 - c. A Total Deficiency Payment of \$895, as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c); and
 - d. An Itemization of the Deficiency Payment as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c).

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Respectfully submitted,

RUTAN & TUCKER, LLP

Dated: Sept. 7, 2007

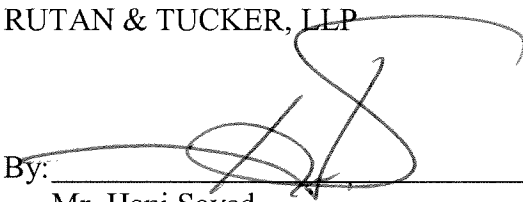
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Exhibit A

Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal

Application Number:	10812586			
Filing Date:	29-Mar-2004			
Title of Invention:	RECOVERY OF SODIUM THIOCYANATE FROM INDUSTRIAL PROCESS SOLUTION USING NANOFILTRATION TECHNIQUE			
First Named Inventor/Applicant Name:	Sundergopal Sridhar			
Filer:	Hani Z. Sayed			
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Confirmation Number:	2627
Title of Invention:	RECOVERY OF SODIUM THIOCYANATE FROM INDUSTRIAL PROCESS SOLUTION USING NANOFILTRATION TECHNIQUE
First Named Inventor/Applicant Name:	Sundergopal Sridhar
Correspondence Address:	Rutan & Tucker, LLP Suite 1400 611 Anton Blvd. - Costa Mesa CA 92679 US 7146415100 -
Filer:	Hani Z. Sayed
Filer Authorized By:	
Attorney Docket Number:	101090.0004US
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Filing Date:	29-MAR-2004
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Application Type:	Utility

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MESSAGE:

On April 5, 2007, our account was charged a total of \$1000.00 from the law firm of Fish & Associates, which is **NOT** related to Rutan & Tucker. Robert Fish was removed from our account on March 20, 2007. Attached is a copy of the 2 transactions, that equal the \$1,000.00, along with related information on that transaction, also a list of employees you are authorized to use our account. If you have any questions, feel free to call me.

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10/812,586 RECOVERY OF SODIUM THIOCYANATE FROM INDUSTRIAL PROCESS SOLUTION USING NANOFILTRATION TECHNIQUE

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Exhibit E

Hurlbut, John

From: Robert Fish [rfish@fishiplaw.com]
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2007 6:02 AM
To: Hurlbut, John
Cc: Jacquelyn Campbell
Subject: 101090.0004US, (K & S Partners), Recovery of Sodium Thiocyanate... and 100323.0061, (Fish, Robert), Fish v. Rutan & Tucker

John,

I am writing about two different issues that have arisen recently:

1) In the 101090.0004US matter, Rutan & Tucker paid the issue fee on April 4, 2007 for an allowed patent application. Thereafter, the client (K&S Partners) instructed R&T to transfer their files over to Fish & Associates. R&T complied with that request, but then requested a refund of issue fee from the patent office. The result was that the application went abandoned. We discovered the problem and tried to pay the issue fee, but unfortunately withdrawal of the issue fee immediately caused the application to go abandoned.

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Fish & Associates, PC
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EXAMINER	
LANGEL, WAYNE A	

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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

Notice of Abandonment	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/812,586	Sundergopal Sridhar	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	LANGEL, WAYNE A	1754	

– The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address–

This application is abandoned in view of:

1. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on _____.
 - (a) ☐ A reply was received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of _____ month(s)) which expired on _____.
 - (b) ☐ A proposed reply was received on _____, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 (a) to the final rejection.
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114).
 - (c) ☐ A reply was received on _____ but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).
 - (d) ☐ No reply has been received.
2. ☒ Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
 - (a) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).
 - (b) ☐ The submitted fee of \$_____ is insufficient. A balance of \$_____ is due.
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$_____. The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$_____.
 - (c) ☒ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.
3. ☐ Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).
 - (a) ☐ Proposed corrected drawings were received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.
 - (b) ☐ No corrected drawings have been received.
4. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants.
5. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.
6. ☐ The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on _____ and because the period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.
7. ☐ The reason(s) below:

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Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to minimize any negative effects on patent term.

Exhibit G

Docket No.: 101090.0004US

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Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number 34284

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)

ESTABLISHMENT OF ASSIGNEE

Applicants	: Sundergopal Sridhar et al.
App. No.	: 10/812,586
Filed	: March 29, 2004
For	: RECOVERY OF SODIUM THIOCYANATE FROM INDUSTRIAL PROCESS SOLUTION USING NANOFILTRATION TECHNIQUE
Examiner	: Wayne A. Langel
Art Unit	: 1754

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Dear Sir:

The undersigned is an empowered representative of the Assignee. As of the execution date set forth below, the undersigned hereby revokes any previous powers of attorney in the subject application, and hereby appoints the registrants of Rutan & Tucker, LLP, Customer No. 34284, as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith. This appointment is to be to the exclusion of the inventors and the inventors' attorneys in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR § 3.71.

The following is a Statement Under 37 CFR § 3.73(b) setting forth a full chain of title for the subject application owned by the Assignee named below.

Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, an Indian registered body, incorporated under the Registration of Societies Act (Act XXI of 1860), is the Assignee of the entire right, title, and interest of the above-referenced application by virtue of:

The Assignment from the inventors to the Assignee recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 22, 2004, at Reel 014761, and Frame 0672.

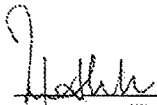
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The undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee. Please recognize and change the correspondence address for the application identified above to **Customer No. 34284**.

By:  डा. र. क. गुप्ता / R. K. Gupta Date: 29-08-2007
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